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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

For: METHOD OF DETERMINING THE SIMILARITY OF TWO STRINGS

Customer No.: 51206

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Commissioner:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed September 11, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.